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1. Autobrzdy National Enterprise in Jablonec nad Nisou (N 50-43, E 15-11) is a brake factory which produces the following:
- a. Brake cylinders, the total production of which is 53,200 units which are used in the following trucks manufactured in Czechoslovakia:
V38 trucks - 6 brake cylinders per vehicle.
S-706 trucks - 4 brake cylinders per vehicle.
T-111 trucks - 6 brake cylinders per vehicle.
The production therefore represents the braking systems for some 9,000 trucks.¹
 - b. Complete range of accessories for the brake cylinders listed above.
 - c. Shock absorbers (amortisseurs a levier), total production of which is 9,300 units; they are produced exclusively for export to Poland.
 - d. Fire-engine sirens, total production of which is 5,600 units.
 - e. RV-covers (RV-couvercles), total production of which is 50,000 units; the use to which they are put is not known but they are all delivered to the Military Administration at Hradec Kralove.²
2. At the end of February 1955 Autobrzdy was instructed to plan for the production in 1956 of 120,000 units of brake cylinders for V38 trucks.

1. [REDACTED] Comment: The figures presumably all refer to production per annum.
2. [REDACTED] Comment: In another context [REDACTED] the production figure as 5,000 instead of 50,000.

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